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September 25, 2007

To: Supervisor Zev Yaroslavsky, Chairman
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From: William T Fujioka
Chief Executive Officer

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REPORT ON IDENTIFYING FUNDING OPTIONS FOR EDUCATION COORDINATING COUNCIL

On June 18, 2007, on the motion of Supervisor Yaroslavsky, your Board instructed the Chief Executive Office to identify options for providing the \$100,000 needed to leverage private funding sources necessary for Education Coordinating Council (ECC) to complete implementation of the Blueprint Plan, and report back on the funding options in time for consideration during the FY 2007-2008 Supplemental Budget in September.

ECC is applying for a \$450,000 grant from the Keck Foundation and a \$200,000 grant from the Weingart Foundation to continue to improve educational outcomes for youth in the foster care and juvenile justice systems. Both foundations are requesting a significant public sector investment. To demonstrate the County's continued commitment to this public-private partnership, our Office has identified \$100,000 in one-time funding from the fund balance to help ECC secure the grants from the Keck Foundation and the Weingart Foundation. This one-time County funding along with the two grants, if awarded, would fully fund ECC's remaining efforts to complete implementation of the Blueprint plan over the next two years. We will include this funding in our Supplemental Changes package.

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Please let us know if you have any questions or need additional information, or your staff may contact James Yun at (213) 893-2072.

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